

The FCC could greatly advance the competitiveness of the cellular phone industry by approving number portability. Lack of number portability creates a great barrier to switching carriers for me and millions of other people. There are better plans with other carriers, but I don't want to go through the monumental hassle of changing phone #s. I'm imprisoned by my carrier and they know it! On a national scale number portability would force the carriers to provide better service and rates. If they don't the market would allow for new entrants who do.  
Release the consumer from cellphone prison and approve number portability.